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SECRET SOCIETIES.

* A. M. Napoleon Lodge No. 256, meets every Tuesday at 8 o'clock at the hall.

I. O. O. F. Napoleon Lodge No. 300, meets every Wednesday at 8 o'clock at the hall.

ROYAL ARCADE Napoleon Council No. 1156, meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month at K. of L. Hall.

AMERICAN LEGION OF HONOR Napoleon Council No. 812, meets the first and third Thursdays of each month at K. of L. Hall.

BONS OF VETERANS Belknap Camp No. 243, meets the first and third Mondays of each month at G. A. R. Hall.

G. A. R. Ohio Post No. 66, meets the first and third Fridays of each month at G. A. R. Hall.

L. Local Assembly No. 5833, meets every Wednesday at 8 o'clock at the hall.

K. of P. Morrison B. Walte Lodge No. 284, meets every Thursday at 8 o'clock at the hall.

MAUMEE VALLEY COUNCIL National Union, No. 400, meets the first and third Mondays of each month at K. of L. Hall.

MAUMEE VALLEY ENCAMPMENT No. 132, meets second and fourth Fridays of each month at I. O. O. F. Hall.

Ice is a luxury now days.

The preachers will be with us next week.

Much of the corn is planted and much is up.

Real genuine corn weather during the past week.

Our serial story will be resumed again next week.

Our census enumerators commenced work on Monday.

New lot of kid gloves just in at Geo. H. Rohrs & Bro's.

It is reported that watermelons will be plenty this year.

Mrs. Fred. Eaton died at her home in Toledo on Sunday.

Mayor Meekison has purchased a fine new survey for his family.

Certain poles and trimmings 30c per set at Geo. H. Rohrs & Bro's.

The authorities are bound to place the town in a sanitary condition.

Carl Reddersen, of Hutchinson, Kan., is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Ella Sharp of Liberty Center was the guest of Joseph Scherer's family Friday.

For information on carpets and other goods read Nordan & Bruns' new advertisement.

Mrs. Mattie Emmell, of Toledo, is visiting her parents, R. W. Soydam and wife in this city.

Mike Jeff has just completed an addition to his house which presents a neat appearance.

Marshall Burns was busy Tuesday evening serving notices on parties to clean up their rubbish.

The best value in parasols and umbrellas, hosiery, mitts and gloves, is at Geo. H. Rohrs & Bro's.

D. C. Brown and Reed Siford drove over to Malinta Tuesday evening on a visit to the K. of P. Lodge at that place.

Now that the warm days are at hand the daily papers record this and that drowning. Boys should be cautious when they go swimming.

Notwithstanding this, the dull season of the year, the register at the Capitol House shows that business with Harry Webb, the popular landlord, is remarkably good.

Harman Gethman, one of our leading grocers, shipped 8,000 dozen of eggs to Toledo last Monday, the result of one week's trade. This goes to show that our business men are up and doing.

Notice table of per cent. of returns to policy holders on this page. This is the test of any agent's claims of superiority. Any company that does not pay back over half that it gets from its members each year, is not a good company; and any statement that it is, lacks proof.

E. R. COWDRICK, Agent Mutual Benefit.

Last Friday, being decoration and show day, looked very much like a holiday. Although the farming community were busy in the corn fields, the streets wore a lively appearance all day. The decoration exercises were largely attended and hundreds listened to the address of Hon. J. V. Coff, and witnessed the decoration of the soldier's graves. The show was also well attended.

The Ottawa Gazette has changed hands.

For once, it did not rain decoration day.

Mrs. M. J. Shoemaker is visiting in Paulding.

Frank Baldwin left for New York last Tuesday.

Clerk Donovan and family spent Sabbath in Dehler.

Mrs. Dr. Harrison is visiting friends in Columbus.

Otto Plasmann has purchased S. O. Rakestraw's saloon.

Walter Jones is acting as baggage master at the Wabash depot.

Big reduction in Satines, Challies, Gingham at Geo. H. Rohrs & Bro's.

Miss Hattie Hudson is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Shaw, at Glen Mary, Tenn.

A young child of C. Decko, in Harrison township, was buried last Sabbath.

Wm. Hudson, agent at Peters, Ill., on the Clover Leaf R. R., is home on a visit.

Miss Mary Sieren of Defiance visited with the Misses Shoner last Thursday and Friday.

Luther Donahy left for Toledo Tuesday where he will take a course in a business college.

Miss Minnie Sutphen, of Defiance, was a guest of Miss Kate Haag during the past week.

The result of the warfare on the sparrow is quite evident, as the little pests are almost exterminated.

A notorious character of Toledo, Mme. De Vere, has been sentenced to the Penitentiary for ten years.

Misses Annie and Fannie Shoner entertained a party of friends at their home last Thursday evening.

We will open this week a new line of ladies and misses muslin underwear cheap, at Geo. H. Rohrs & Bro's.

The Democrats of Defiance county will hold their county convention on the 29th of August at Defiance.

Bro. Hotterman, of Bowling Green, was in the city the first of the week. He is red hot for Canby for Congress.

Mr. J. C. Yergin, representing the Toledo Daily Commercial, was in the city Saturday and paid this office a visit.

There are only 24 divorce cases to be heard in the Wood county common pleas court this term, which commenced on Monday.

The county commissioners meet with the boards of Defiance and Putnam counties on joint ditch matters at Defiance to-day.

The Prohibitionists have issued a call for a State Convention to be held in Columbus Board of Trade building June 18th and 19th.

Miss Emma Shasteen returned home from Toledo Monday evening, at which place she has been making her home for some time past.

Go to H. C. Grochner and see the new corn cultivator for 1890. It's a dandy, also agent for the McCormick Binder and Mower, the best in the world.

New arrivals for June in light weight summer wool dress goods. New satines, new challies, new line of silk mitts and gloves, at Geo. H. Rohrs & Bro's.

Will Napoleon celebrate the 4th? If not, why not? Our neighboring town of Bryan is making arrangements for a big jollity and there is no reason why Napoleon should not.

Joseph Musser has taken the foremanship of the Dehler Flag office. Mr. Musser is a graduate from the Northwestern office. He is a young man of good habits and character, and we wish him success in his new position.

There will be a social at the M. E. Parsonage this Wednesday evening, June 4th. Music, ice cream, strawberries, etc. will be served as refreshments for both mind and body. Everybody invited.

From a list of the stockholders of the different banks of Toledo, published in the Bee of May 28, we notice that a Mrs. Antony, of Napoleon, holds 30 shares in the Ketcham National Bank, and H. A. Cary 5 shares.

Miss Mayme Wilson went to Columbus last Monday morning as a delegate from the Napoleon Epworth League, to attend the convention of that society, which was held Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Children's Day will be observed at the M. E. Church next Sunday, June 8th. In the morning the theme will be "Methodism and Education." In the evening the Sunday School will render an interesting and instructive program.

The real estate assessor in Monroe township, Fred. Knipp, was the first to make his report to the county auditor, on Tuesday. The valuation of the township will show an increase of one-third. It is pretty hard to get ahead of old Monroe.

On Tuesday, May 27th, at 11:30 o'clock, Mr. Edward Beall and Miss Louis G. Wells, both of Findlay, were united in marriage by Rev. T. A. Cooper. After the ceremony the guests were invited to sit around a table upon which was placed many samples of good things mother earth can produce. The happy couple received many useful and elegant presents from the hands of their many friends. Miss Wells was a former resident of Henry county.

A. G. W. It is rumored among the knowing ones that an agent of the Louisville State Lottery has been in Columbus and in several parts of the State in the interest of a gigantic scheme to bring that institution to this State, in consideration of a vast sum of money, to be paid to the authorities, and to be used for public purposes. The object of the agent was to ascertain the feeling on the subject and whether or not it would be worth the effort of the company to tempt Ohio.

The site of a prehistoric village has been discovered on the banks of the Ohio river, near Parkersburg, West Virginia. It covers about four acres and the earth is thickly intermixed with fragments of pottery, streaks of ashes and fragments of bones of animals and human beings. In several places are to be seen the ruins of what seem to be ancient fireplaces, containing charcoal intermixed with charred nuts of various sorts. In and around these fire-places are found ornaments and implements, such as battle-axes, knives, drills, spears and arrow points and ornaments made of bone and slate.

Cash Paid for Eggs.

Mrs. R. B. Shasteen will pay 12c per dozen for all the eggs brought to her store.

Church Sapper.

The ladies of the Presbyterian congregation will give a supper at the home of Mrs. Webb Freese to-morrow evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Notice.

The members of O. P. Randall post, W. R. C., No. 258, are requested to meet at the hall on Tuesday, June 17th, 1890, at 1 o'clock p. m., for special business.

Entitled to the Best.

All are entitled to the best that their money will buy, so every family should have, at once, a bottle of the best family remedy, Syrup of Figs, to cleanse the system when constipated or bilious. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

Strauss Famous Orchestra at Toledo

June 5th.

The Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City R. R. will issue excursion tickets from Delphos and intermediate stations to Toledo June 5th, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets good returning until June 6th.

C. C. JENKINS, Gen. Pass. Agt.

\$50.00 Reward!

The above reward will be given to the person who will give me any information that will lead to the whereabouts of Squire McEntire, last heard of peddling tin-ware through the Northwestern part of Ohio.

Mrs. MARTHA SINCOX, Winfield, Kansas.

Or any information may be given to E. T. Barnes, Sheriff, Napoleon, O.

A Social Party.

The Red Bird Club, consisting of Frank Hahn, Chas. Diemer, John Polker, William Benner, Will Damman, Mat. Reiser, Jr., John Lauterbach, Louise Flogans, Helen Stockman, Annie Rohrs, Mary Sig, Frieda Kolbe, and Emma Wrede of Defiance, were visiting at the home of John Knapp last Sunday where they spent the greater portion of the day, and upon their return home were loud in their praise of the hospitality they received at the hands of Mr. Knapp.

Weather for May.

Highest temperature 90 deg. on the 30th; lowest 31 deg. on the 11th; mean daily temperature was 63.86 deg. which is 2 1/2 deg. below the mean of 7 Mays. The rainfall was 5 1/2 inches, or 1 1/2 inches above the average of 7 Mays. The combined rainfall of April and May was 12 1/2 inches, or more than one-third of the average rainfall for a year. There has been a great excess of temperature and rainfall north of Ohio and east of the Mississippi rivers since the first of January.

Letter List.

Letters remaining unclaimed for at the Napoleon, Ohio, Post-Office, for the week ending June 5th, 1890:

Amanda Wythers, Bell Halford, Dotha Boring, Henry Frytag, Mrs. Henry Jost, Robbe Williams, Dr. Ottman, M. Rosendorf, J. R. Tyler, David Sattler, J. C. Moore, Joseph Babcock.

Persons calling for letters will please say they are advertised, and give the date.

S. G. HAAG, P. M.

Attention Comrades.

Hd'qrs, HENRY G. A. R. ASSOCIATION, COLTON, June 2, 1890.

A meeting of the association will be held at Napoleon, O., June 14th, '90, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing the following officers for the ensuing year: President, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, and for the battalion; a Colonel, Lieut-Colonel and Major.

J. A. COLEMAN, Sec'y.

To Our Patrons.

We feel grateful to the many subscribers who have responded to our recent call for a settlement, but there are hundreds who have remained silent. We should like to hear from all, as we are in need of every cent due, and more too, inasmuch as we are making extensive improvements in our residence property. Those subscribers who are unable to call personally can send their remittances through the mail, either by money order, postal note or stamps. Let this notice be sufficient to stir up every one to the responding point.

Death of Mrs. Joshua Rhodes.

Friends and acquaintances were gathered to learn of the death of the wife of Joshua Rhodes on Saturday last. Mrs. Rhodes had been a sufferer for some time, her ailment culminating in dropsy of the heart, which resulted in death. Mrs. Rhodes was born in Maryland in 1814, was married to the husband she leaves in 1837, and was the mother of five children, two having preceded her to their long rest. She has resided in Henry county for the past 27 years, and was a lady respected by all. The funeral took place from the family residence, on the Kalida pike, on Sabbath, Rev. Donahy conducting the services. The remains were followed to the grave by a large concourse of friends and acquaintances.

Sheep Claims Allowed.

The following sheep claims were allowed by the county commissioners at their session this week:

A. H. Singer, \$18.00 \$18.00

Henry Mangas, 36.00 36.00

Peter Hoffman, 4.00 4.00

C. Marshall, 8.00 8.00

L. L. Fraker, 16.00 16.00

P. Mangas, 8.00 8.00

A. C. Hettiger, 4.00 4.00

W. Keiffer, 105.00 105.00

M. Miller, 18.50 18.50

D. Demland, 2.00 2.00

Philip Wolf, 15.50 15.50

M. Eiden, 5.00 5.00

S. Royal, 6.50 6.50

John Faber, 10.00 10.00

Wm. Wade, 39.00 39.00

Bargains in Wall Paper.

For the next 30 days Saur & Balsley propose to offer such inducements in the way of low prices on wall paper that very few, who will take the trouble to examine the stock, will be able to resist the temptation of buying at least enough for a room or two. The late new patterns are simply elegant and all who see them admire them very much. Saur & Balsley bought largely for their spring trade, and owing to the lateness of the season much yet remains on hand. Now in order to close this stock out, they are making it very interesting for close buyers, and all with one voice exclaim, how very cheap. The gilt patterns sold at this house are cheaper now than the most common brown backs used to be. Don't fail to examine the stock at this house before you buy.

Tax Levy.

Following is the tax levy for this year, which is two mills less than 1889:

Soldiers relief, 8-10 mills

General county fund, 2-10 "

Bridges and road fund, 2-10 "

Building fund, 5-10 "

General sinking fund, 3-10 "

Total, 94 10 "

Thieves Caught.

On Thursday night last thieves broke into the warehouse of the Vocke Bros. and carried away a lot of flour and corn. The officers were quickly notified of the fact and a movement was at once inaugurated to detect the guilty parties. The thieves were traced to the Tullys where they had disposed of the corn to Mr. Benkin, the sacks giving them away. Mr. B. giving a description of the parties who sold him the corn and who brought the sacks to his mill, suspicion at once fell upon George Markey, a penitentiary bird, and Charles Revels, both of whom were arrested and placed behind the bars by Sheriff Barnes. On the following Saturday evening they also broke into the Benkin mill at Texas, purloining nothing but some grain sacks. Both of the fellows are candidates for the p. p.

Birth-Day Surprise Party.

On last Friday evening the home of Jacob Westernman, one and a half miles north of town was, the scene of one of the jolliest gatherings that mortal eye ever gazed upon. In the afternoon Mrs. Westernman was brought to town on the pretext of making some large purchases, which she was ever willing and ready to do. After she had been gone sufficient time a party of between 75 and 80 persons, old and young, headed by Henry Snyder and wife took full possession of their home and awaited Mrs. Westernman's return, which was not long. Arriving home and seeing such a crowd, she was nearly overcome with excitement, thinking that something serious had happened, but was informed by Henry Snyder in his usual jolly style, that they had come to remind her that 48 years ago on that memorable day, the first ray of sun shined down upon her. The happy gathering sat down to a sumptuous repast after which dancing was indulged in until a late hour, when they returned to their homes wishing Mrs. Westernman 48 years more of this world's happiness. A GUEST.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

REGULAR MEETING, June 2, '90.—Members present: Cahill, Groshner, Shoner, Brown, Ludwig and Baker. Mayor Meekison in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The following bills were allowed:

D. Hess, street labor, \$133 08

A. J. Sayers, lumber, 16 32

James Shay, janitor, 10 00

T. J. Burns, marshal, 45 00

J. Travis, deputy marshal, 3 00

J. B. Couch, removing corpse, 3 00

Charles W. Jackson, clerk, 30 00

J. Kinder, labor, 3 00

W. P. Turk, police, 1 50

James Shay, engineer, 35 00

John Ritter, police, 1 50

C. W. Jackson, police, 1 50

Thieses & Hildred, lumber, 37 79

Beard Light Co., light, 148 35

Mr. Ragan asked that the sidewalk corner of Washington street and Halcy avenue be straightened. Referred to street committee.

Mr. Schultz asked for the renovation of the Pohlman slaughter house. On motion five days was given to have the place cleaned up.

Mr. Shoner moved that the swine ordinance be enforced. Carried.

Mr. Thiesen asked the council to assist the business firms along Front street to improve said street. Referred to the street committee.

A request was granted to remove telegraph poles from Fisk's corner to railroad.

The cemetery trustees were required to make a report at next regular meeting of council.

Mr. Brown moved that a gasoline lamp be placed at the corner of Union street and Adrian pike. Carried.

The old street lamps were placed in the hands of the purchasing committee, for sale. On motion the council adjourned.

Commissioner Sayers' Dilemma.

Commissioners Sayers and Damm, of Henry county, came up the Maumee to this city recently, to transact some joint county ditch matters, and owing to the refusal of the Wabash to run a special train for their accommodation, they were obliged to spend the night in the metropolis of Northwestern Ohio.

Damm wanted to go to a private boarding house to rest his corpulent official frame, but Sayers said nothing was too rich for his blood when abroad, and suggested they go to the Russell House.

Their names soon graced the books of this well-known hostelry, and they were assigned a room befitting their official position. Damm soon dropped into a refreshing sleep and was well along in a dream where he was helping to find which way the water ran with reference to a ditch which himself and the rest of the commissioners were locating. He had just lighted one of Dave Miller's good cigars, when he was awakened by the striking of a match. He gazed around the room and soon observed Sayers standing on a chair groaning with pain describing circles on the wall with a match.

"What in the name of the two counties are you trying to do Sayers?" inquired Damm.

"Why, blank this blanked new fangled light. I've got a pain in my stomach so bad the man in the next room can hear it ache, and I can't light the god darned thing." He had been trying to light an incandescent burner.—Defiance Crescent.

Census Enumerators.

The following is a list of the census enumerators for the different townships and precincts:

Ridgeville—Elmer Treasler.

Freedom—Orris Walker.

Washington—W. W. Emmell.

Harrison—David Hollipeter.

Napoleon—T. C. Clewell for town, J. G. Gimm for township.

Flatrock—A. Keys.

Dumessons—Daniel Giesbert.

Richfield—Amos Foot.

Bartlow—James E. Swartz.

Marion—J. B. Stevenson.

Pleasant—Holgate—Jas. McEwen; New Bar.

varia—Charles Hornung.

Liberty—John Widney.

Moore—Zachariah Highshaw.

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Notice.

All parties knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of Daniel Gallinger, deceased, will please call and settle within thirty days from this date.

ISAAC M. GLICK, Administrator.

May 15th, 1890.

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